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27 May 1956

Progress Report for Period 10 April - 10 May 1956

Headquarters Action Required: For Information

1. Under separate cover, we are forwarding progress report for the period 10 April - 10 May 1956. The conference on European Integration will be held, as scheduled, on 23 May - 1 June. Even as of this date, the prospects for the conference are rather gloomy. Acceptances have been very slow in coming in - 29 acceptances having been received by 16 May - and Twelford stated that the remainder of the audience would have to be filled with local citizens. The cost of the conference has exceeded the (10,000) originally budgeted. All of these factors will be taken into consideration when this conference is concluded, and Twelford will study the statistics as to value, cost and man hours involved to decide whether the September conference on Western Mediterranean problems will be worthwhile. At this point, the station tentatively has negative views in regard to the September conference, and would prefer to see Twelford stick to the main job of teaching and not go off into such sidelines. If Headquarters has any particular feelings in this matter, the station would be interested in receiving them, so that if the conference is going to be held, we can do it now rather than wait till mid-August.
2. Re Section III of the report, Twelford commented that Bryant will be at Bremen next year, and that possibly some contact could be made with him for ERANK purposes. Twelford considers him to be the most outstanding student at BremenST.
3. Re Section IV, Twelford would like to include a Belgian and Finnish girl as students. He stated on page 10 of the report, no action will be taken prior to mid-June. If headquarters objects to the admittance of these students, he should be notified prior to that date so that we may inform Twelford. Per CLIA-1000, the station is not averse to accepting outstanding students from Western European areas other than the ones verbally agreed upon for ERANKST. The station would also like to call

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attention to para. 30, wherein Twelford states that the flow of applications for the next semester has been very slow.

4. In Section VI, note the substantial contributions that LEMMLE has made to the MINGUST library.

5. In Section VII, Twelford proposes to offer the job of research assistant, vice Wisely, to Manfred Leidecker, one of the graduate American students.

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